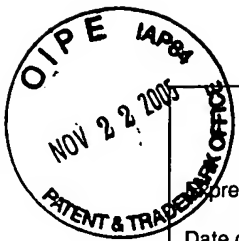


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Attached is/are:

- ☒ Fourth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement; Form PTO 1449
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Respectfully submitted,

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FOURTH SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §§1.97-1.98, and more particularly in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b), Applicant hereby cites the following reference(s):

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

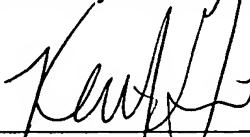
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Applicant is enclosing Form PTO-1449 (one sheet), along with a copy of each listed reference which is required under 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(2). These references are cited for their disclosure of nebulizing catheters with steerable nozzles shown in their respective figures. A translated abstract (Patent Abstracts of Japan) is enclosed for E1. A brief English language summary for reference E2 is enclosed. Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner's consideration of the above reference(s) and entry thereof into the record of this application.

By submitting this Statement, Applicant is attempting to fully comply with the duty of candor and good faith mandated by 37 C.F.R. §1.56. As such, this Statement is not intended to constitute an admission that any of the enclosed references, or other information referred to therein, constitutes "prior art" or is otherwise "material to patentability," as that phrase is defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56(a).

Applicant has calculated no fee to be due in connection with the filing of this Statement. However, the Director is authorized to charge any fee deficiency associated with the filing of this Statement to a deposit account, as authorized in the Transmittal accompanying this Statement.

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